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Each member club of MSNA SHALL appoint a representative who will serve on the board and will exercise the club's vote on any matter arising.

PAST PRESIDENTS

Pete Burris

Bob Ruby

Our 18th annual convention of 17-20 May is quickly qpproaching. This year's show promises to be even bigger and better than last year's due to the tremendous efforts of the parts of Pete Burris and Bill Ayres.

We are very fortunate to have Steve Taylor, Past President of A N A as our General Chairman. I am sure Steve's experience will greatly enhance our show and I am sure everyone will lend their support.

There are many committees where help is needed and I urge everyone to join in. We will have to set up on thursday morning, beginning at 7:00 a.m. and we will need as many people as possible. Another area where help will be needed is the registration desk. Please plan on becoming involved. Being involved is very rewarding, not only to the organization, but on a personnel level.

We hope you will not only plan to attend but take part in the effort of putting on the show. Let's all give our support to Steve, Pete and Bill.

Thank you,

Bobbie Vaughan

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President

MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION, INC.
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The members of the Board of Directors of the MSNA met in conjunction with Paul Finck's show at the Towson Quality Inn, 2:00 pm, Sunday 29 Oct 1989. In attendance were:

Bobbie Vaughan - President
Bill Ayres - Secretary
Pete Burris - Past President
Bryce Doxzon - Catonsville CCl
Lynna Spornick - APL Coin Club

We received a request from ANA to be a sponsor of the Midwinter convention. We voted to pay $10, as a patron.

Bill Ayres agreed to serve as treasurer, for the present time.

Pete Burris suggested we contact Steve Taylor as a possible candidate for show chairman. Bobbie will contact Steve to see if he is available.

The new 3x5 show cards w/calendar reverse have been received an are being distributed.

Bryce presented an updated version of our Constitution and By-laws which he has had produced.

Henry K. Westphal, MSNA's 2nd President, died on Thursday 26 October. We voted to donate $25 to the Trinity Methodist Church in Annapolis in his memory.

Jim Boswell was accepted as Life Member #25.

Our current membership consists of 145 individuals and 20 clubs.

Pete presented porfolios with calculators built in and the MSNA logo on the front to be presented to our speakers next sunday.

Bobbie has checked and found we have 35 rooms booked at the Marriott for the May dates. We suggested she attempt to increase this to 50 and to see what our cutoff date is for their retention.

Our contract with the Festival Hall is signed (finally) & they have our deposit.

Our caterer for the event will again be Service America.

Bill Ayres is to contact the Wohler company for our insurance.

Pete is working on a layout to provide to the F estival Hall to attach to the contract.

We discussed the establishment of an "Entertainment Committee" to provide some extra int erest to attendees. It was suggested Jack Pryor be contacted to see if he would handle.

Ray Dillard will be present with his elongated gear. We will decide what we need over the next few weeks.

The Plate Printer Local #2 will be present with their spider press. An engraving of a boat, preferably the Pride, is needed for them to work from.

For our show elongated we were presented a sketch which Millard Hajek has drawn up for us and which we accepted.

Pete was advised to arrange to nave die made up.

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It has been suggested we have our wooden nickels produced early and give out some ahead of time as an advertisement. Bill Ayres will order them.

We need to get to work to make up an information sheet of facilities which are available to attendees. These include, telephone numbers of taxis, places to eat, places of interest, etc.

Bryce presented a report on what has been accomplished in the advertising, what he plans to do and what it is going to cost.

The next meeting of the board to be held on 21 January 1990, at the same location.

Respectfully submitted,

William R. Ayres, Jr.

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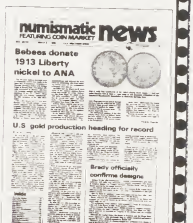
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The members of the Board of Directors of the MSNA met at Grace United Methodist Church, Northern Parkway & Charles Street, Baltimore, at 2:00 p.m. Sunday 21 January 1990. In attendance were:

Bobbie Vaughan - President	Jim Boswell - Colonial Coin Cl
Jack Pryor - Vice President	Lynna Spornick - APL Coin Club
Bill Ayres- Secretary/Treas.	Bill Lenz - Baltimore Coin Cl.
Pete Burris - Past President	Steve Taylor - Kent Coin Club
Bryce Doxzon- Catonsville CC	Frank Isennock - Belmar Coin Cl

Bill Lenz reported Harry Forman will be one speaker & he is waiting replies from others. Bill also informed us Joe Clarke has been feeling a bit under the weather.

Steve has agreed to be General Chairman for our show.

Bryce was requested to make 25 copies of the updated Constitution and By-Laws.

An obit for Henry Westphal was sent to the ANA Numismatist and we were informed would not be used because he was not a current A N A member. Bill Ayres presented a draft of a letter to the ANA President expressing his displeasure with such a policy. It was suggested a copy of the letter be sent to Bob Leuver.

Our Fall Seminar, held at the Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Labs near Columbia was lightly attended but was considered another of our meetings of note. The Baltimore Coin Club won the prize for having the most members in attendance. Lynna Spornick did a great job arranging the layout and the refreshments.

The Henry Westphal Membership Award is to be continued and will be renamed the Henry Westphal Memorial Membership Award.

Salisbury Coin Club will hold their show on February 18th at the Civic Center in Salisbury.

The Marriott Hotel bumped their daily rates to $139.00 when they found our show was being held on Preakness weekend so we changed our Show hotel to the Holiday with additional rooms at the Best Western Hallmark.

There has been no response from Wohler on our insurance renewal so a second letter will be sent.

Pete has a sample layout from previous years which he will present to the Festival Hall.

Jack agreed to serve as Entertainment Chairman. He is going to work on some form of information sheet or booklet which will list items of interest such as taxi numbers,places to eat, hotels, entertainment possibilities and the hundred and one other things visitors want to know.

The matter of Sunday dealers was discussed. Further discussion will be held with Paul Singleton at the February show. We are looking for ways to fill the hall on Sunday.

Millard Hajek designed the elongated for the show; the dies have been made and arrangements made to have the press set up on the show floor.

The pictures from which an engravement can be made are in the hands of the group with the Spider Press so they can choose. We are waiting for them to make that decision.

Denwood Kelly furnished us 2 pictures of bills for our souvenir sheet and we made our selection. He will now prepare the writeup and prepare the negative we need for the printer.

In accordance with Jack's suggestion we have had 3000 wooden nickels made up;they have arrived and are being distributed to everyone, every club and every show we can get them to.

Bryce is continuing to march with the advertising. Walt Kitner will be Exhibits Chairman. We have to contact Bob Ruby and get contracts and labels so we can do our mailings.

Security has been contacted but we need to lock them in in writing. A letter will be sent.

Mid Atlantic Decorators have been contacted.

Sylvan Richter will serve a Property Chairman.

Raffle tickets were delivered today & Jim Boswell will serve as Raffle Chairman.

We still need a Registration Chairman.

Larry Gentile has not responded to our request to serve as YN Chairman. Another letter will be sent.

Earl has not been locked in for the set up. Contact to be made.

We are still short a Treasurer for the organization.

Respectfully Submitted

William R. Ayres, Jr.
Secretary

NUMISMATIC VIGNETTE

In the year 1865, Belgium, Italy, France, Switzerland and Poland agreed to a plan to mint gold coins according to established specifications - in order to facilitate the interchange of money across each others borders. The specifications for the coins required uniformity in fineness, weight and diameter. These were established as fineness 900 or 21.6 carats, weight of 6.45161 grams gross including 5,80644 grams of gold and a diameter of 21 mm. The denominations were 20 francs for France, Belgium and Switzerland, 20 lire for Italy & 20 zloty for Poland. These countries, who were party to this agreement, became known as "The Latin Monetary Union".

Submitted by Hank Schab

O U R M E M B E R C L U B S R E P O R T

For Openers your editor would like to thank the following for presenting material from their clubs:

Bob Brechbiel - Interstate
Hank Schab - Colonial
Al Helmick - Western Maryland
Andy Rekus - Baltimore

and to those editors who forward copies of the journals from:

Baltimore Coin Club
Prince George's County Coin Cl
Western Maryland Coin Club
Maryland Token & Medal Society

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COIN CLUB reports their new officers for 1990 (or maybe some not so new).

President - Jim Besley
1st V. P. - Ed Rupp
2nd V. P. - Ted Rupp
Treasurer - Joe Clarke
Secretary - Bob Colcock
Directors: Bob Zeller
Mae Clarke
Art Snider
Roy Flinn

PGCCC is looking into the relocation of their meeting site which may be off Paper Mill Rd North of I695 - more later.

PGCCC also indicates there may be changes in the W M P G Tri club in the near future. They also tell us Joe Clarke has had another bad spell, best wishes to him from all of us.

COLONIAL COIN CLUB, celebrating their 27th year, held their annual Christmas Party on December 16th at which time their officers for 1990 were introduced:

President - Don Daniels
V. P. - Clarence Schmitt
Treasurer - Don Pennington
Secretary - Hank Schab
Directors - Barbara Giles
Lee Giles
Al Kammer
Jim Boswell

We also hear that the Colonial Coin Club has established a Dr. Thomas Reichelderfer Memorial Fund for Young Numismatists but were not furnished any other details.

WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB reports the loss of one of their faithful members - Ruth Weir. Our sympathy to the club & her family on their loss. The bad weather of December took it's toll on WMCC and caused them to cancel their December meeting which meant that their Christmas Party became a New Year's Party. WMCC meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the Senior Citizens Building, N. Liberty and Frederick Sts, Cumberland, at 7:00 p.m.

PERRY HALL COIN CLUB also reports their officers for 1990; unchanged from 1989 are:

President - Bob Schultz
V. P. - Don Levin
Secretary - Joe Adam
Treasurer - Don Smith

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB members visited the Colonial Coin Club on 3 Oct. Colonial provided a slide presentation by members of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing on the redemption of mutilated currency. Baltimore Coin Club's show on 26 Nov was a real surprize - the largest attendance in quite a while, over 300 visitors came thru the door. Jack Pryor was the winner of the club's raffle & promptly announced he was going to pay the dues of any Y N who joined in 1990. At their 18 January meeting the members of BCC heard Jon Cameron, Senior Analyst in Operations of the Federal Reserve Board of Richmond speak on the Federal Reserve System.

MARYLAND TOKEN & MEDAL SOCIETY held their January meeting in the Calvert Room of the State House, Annapolis, Maryland. While not the oldest state house in the nation it is the one that has been in active service the longest. A very special meeting followed by a tour of the rest of the building. It was a wet miserable day and the planned tour of historical sites, outside, was not too popular an idea for the day.

The ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS, comprized of the Harford Coin Huskers, Perry Hall and Middle River Coin Clubs show in Nov was as good as any in recent years; the change in date did-affect us at all. The Association Christmas Party was also a well attended affair. Santa made his appearance and our one man band and caterer performed on cue. Each of the wives took home one of the potted plants from the tables and everyone was happy. (especially the members of the committee).

HARFORD COIN HUSKERS present their officers for 1990:

Elmer Lewis - President
Will Myers - Vice President
Bill Ayres - Secretary
Don McKinstry - Treasurer

In Addition: Reds Glenn was again appointed Educational Chairman & Fred Cook as Librarian.

COLONIAL COIN CLUB shares with us our loss with the passing of Henry Westphal. Henry was a long time member and staunch supporter of them also.

BETTER LATE THEN NEVER: In the confusion surrounding the last bulletin we overlooked the fact that GREG RUBY was certified as a judge in U. S. Coins and in Medals at the ANA Convention in Pittsburgh. BRYCE DOXZON, at the same show, was certified to judge in Medals and in Tokens categories. Bryce also received a third place for his Madison Exhibit.

If any of our members are interested in contacting the Society of Paper Money Collectors they can write to Ron Horstman, P.O. Box 6011, St Louis, MO, 63139.

HENRY K. WESTPHAL
1906 - 1989

The Maryland State Numismatic Association lost another one of the team a few weeks ago. A very hard working person, most distinguished in appearance he was every bit our "Colonel" in the old tradition. He quickly earned the deep respect and affection of those with whom he worked. A long time member and officer of the Colonial Coin Club of Annapolis & a very active officer of MSNA during it's formative years he served the hobby very well. Henry served as president of MSNA during the period of time when we were holding our first major show outside of the Baltimore area; a time when we were in the process of being incorporated and of having our Constitution and By-Laws written and approved. He served as the Editor of The Maryland Numismatist in 1976 & in the following years served on many committees in many different capacities.

A severe reduction of eyesight a number of years ago which was followed by other medical probems restricted the work he was able to do but he never lost interest in the hobby or it's members.

Henry was one of the earliest salesmen with the Farm Bureau Insurance Co., in the Middle Atlantic region; sold the first policies in the Annapolis area and on the Eastern Shore and in the early years mapped out a method of life sales administration which we understand is the basis for some of the programs in operation today. He retired as a financial planner from the Nationwide Insurance Co (which had taken over Farm Bureau) in 1964. He soon found life without working to be too dull and proceeded to work in the bill room of the Maryland State Legislature for several years.

His wife, Betty, having pre-deceased him in 1988, Henry is survived by three daughters; Elizabeth Woodbourn, Margaret Sullivan and Dorothy Disney; one son, Bob Robinson; one sister Dorothy Hall; all of Annapolis; nine grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

It was a great pleasure to have known and worked with him and his passing is a matter of great loss to those of us who did.

At the Associated Coin Clubs fall show the door was manned by Fred Waire, Middle River Coin Club and Joe Adam, Middle River & Perry Hall Coin Clubs.

At the 1989 Associated Coin Club's Christmas Party we presented the committee of the A.C.C.: left to right are Reds Glenn, Secretary - member of Perry Hall Coin Club & Harford Coin Huskers; Al Mills and Bob Schultz both members of Middle River and Perry Hall Coin Clubs and, at the mike, Bill Ayres, Chairman, member of the Harford Coin Huskers & Perry Hall Coin Club.

C O M I N G E V E N T S

1991

- 8 Apr: Catonsville Coin Club, Towson Quality Inn

28-29 Apr: Western Maryland Coin Club, LaVale Fire Hall, Rt 40, LaVale

17-20 May: Annual Covention & Show of the MARYLAND ST NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION Inc., Camden Street, Festival Hall,Baltimore

22-26 Aug: ANA: Seattle Washington

1- 2 Sep: Interstate Coin Cl Venice Ballroom, Rt 40, East of Hagerstown

-23 Sep: Kent Coin Club

-14 Oct: Cambridge Coin Club American Legion, Rt 50, Cambridge, at the Choptank River Bridge

20-21 Oct: MANA, Virginia Beach Virginia

-28 Oct: Associated Coin Cl Victory Villa, Community Center, Middle River

3- 4 Nov: Hanover Numis Soc

- 4 Nov: Annual Fall Seminar of the MARYLAND STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

10-11 Nov: Western Maryland Coin Club, LaVale Fire Hall, LaVale

-25 Nov: Baltimore [illegible] lub Towson

-17 Feb: Salisbury Coin Club Wicomico County Civic Center, Civic Ave, Salisbury

2- 3 Mar: Interstate Coin Club Venice Ballroom, Route 40, East of Hagerstown

-10 Mar: Associated Coin Clubs Victory Villa Community Ctr Middle River

14-16 Jun: MSNA's Annual Convention & Show at the Festival Hall,Camden St, Baltimore.

INTERSTATE COIN CLUB

Aug31-Sep 1 91	29Feb-1Mar 92
5-6 Sep 92	6-7 Mar 93
4-5 Sep 93	4-5 Mar 94

ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS

27 Oct 91	8 Mar 92
25 Oct 92	14 Mar 93
24 Oct 93	13 Mar 94

MANA

19-20 Oct 1991
17-18 Oct 1992
16-17 Oct 1993

PAUL FINCK's 1990 SHOWS

Mar 25	Apr 29	May 27
Jun 17	Jul 22	Aug 26
Sep 23	Oct 14	Dec 16

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PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COIN CLUB

DATE	COMP.	SIZE	COLOR	DESCRIPTION	OBV/REV
1971	wood	nickel	black	Duke of Marlboro	
1971	medal	quarter	- -	Ben Frankling/PG County Seal	
1972	wood	nickel	various	Indian Queen Tavern	
1972	medal	quarter (sterling)		Indian Queen Tavern/club seal	
1973	wood	nickel	red,blue green & purple	Peace Cross	
1973	medal	quarter (sterling)		Peace Cross/club seal	
1974	wood	nickel	red,blue green & purple	Lanham Mansion (MANA)	
1974	medal	quarter (sterling)		Lanham Mansion/club seal	
1975	wood	nickel	red,blue & green	Rossborough Inn	
1977	wood	nickel	red,blue green, purple & black	John Hanson	
1984	wood	dollar	black	America's First Balloon Ascension Bladensburg	
1985	wood	dollar	red	ANA Baltimore	

TRI CLUB (all flats) (all wood)

1980	Four Dollar Wooden Stella
1981	$50 Octagonal Wooden Gold Slug
1982	Three-Cent Silver Wooden Trime
1983	Lord Baltimore Penny
1983*	Lanham Mansion
1984	350th Anniversary of Maryland
1984*	names of speakers
1985	Continental Fractional Dollar
1985*	Continental $1/6 Currency
1986	Statue of Liberty $5 Coin
1987	Pillar Dollar
1987*	Pillar Dollar

* Serially numbered for presentation at educational symposium

and from the Cheverly Coin Club

1981	wood	dollar	red, blue & black	Town of Cheverly Seal/club seal	

courtesy of Robert H. Colcock
& the Monthly Newsletter of
Prince George's County Coin Club

WOODEN COMMUNION TOKENS

From Bob Colcock we have the following:

Wooden Communion Tokens are offered by the Ascension Lutheran Church. These may be the first such issues. Communion Tokens have their deepest roots in Scotland and although more closely identified with Presbyterianisim they have been used by other denominations. Usually used to control participants who take communion most recently churches have produced replicas of early pieces, or new designs as commemoratives. This issue was done as an art project for a child taking first communion this past Easter season. Blue in color these tokens are available for 75¢ or 2 for $1. plus a stamped self addressed envelope from Ascension Lutheran Church, 7420 Ardmore Rd., Landover Hills, MD, 20784.

We also have information on the issue of the Harford Coin Huskers for 1990. These nickels are in sets of four and are red, orange, blue and purple in color. They are priced at 50¢ a set or 3 sets for $1.25 + SASE from "Bill" Box 2, Fork, MD, 21051. This is the 21st year the Coin Huskers have issued sets.

The MSNA annual Educational Seminar was held at the Applied Physics Lab's Parson's Auditorium on Johns Hopkins Road. Our Host club was the A P L Coin Club and their representative, who did a great job, was Lynna Spornick. Attendance could have been better but what else is new. Those attending enjoyed the presentations and also the round table discussions and refreshments which followed. The Baltimore Coin Club (and again what else is new?) took home the $25 prize for having the most members in attendance. Those of you who don't attend these events surely don't know what you are missing.

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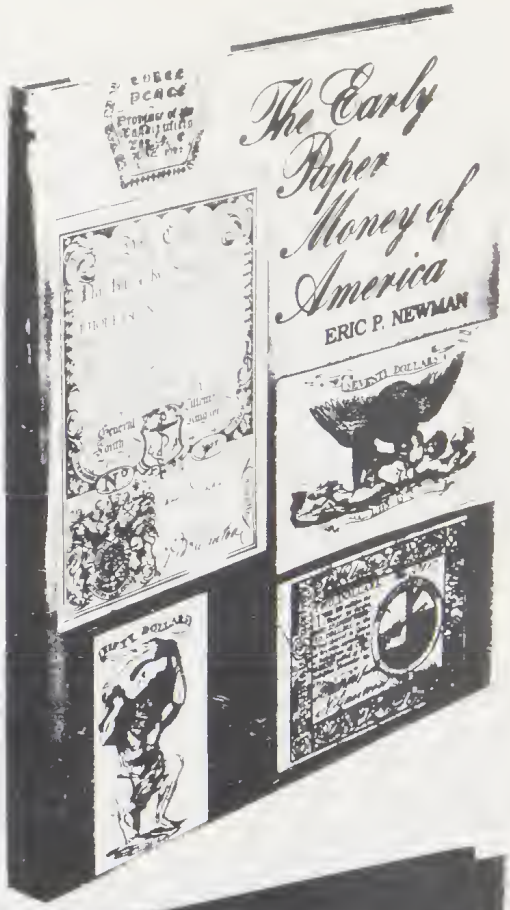

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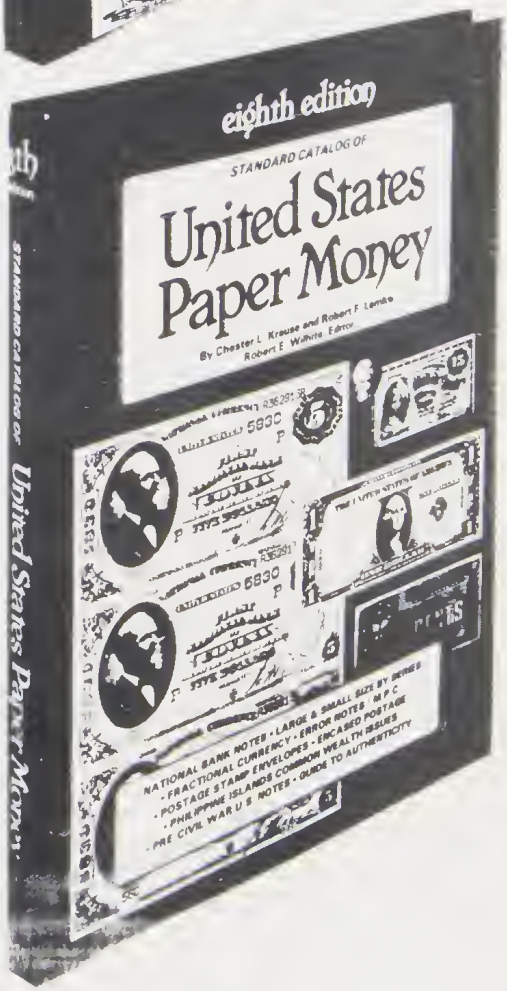
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Member Number 416. That means that HARRY J. FORMAN has had a close tie to M S N A for quite awhile On several different occassions he has attended our functions and has been guest speaker at more than one event. For a number of years he operated the family fruit stand in downtown Philadelphia. He collected coins - in a small way, but in 1954 he purchased some proof sets from the mint for $2.10 and a few months later he had a chance to sell them for $2.00 each. The hobby, the fruit stand and Harry have never been the same since. He gave up the fruit stand in '58 and began dealing in coins. His business is strictly mail. order, shows and, on rare occassions, by appointment. The winsome lass in Harry's arms is granddaughter Elana Glehinger.

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An expert in the field of commoratives, ANTHONY SWIATEK, will talk on "HOW TO ACQUIRE COINS FOR ENJOYMENT AND FUTURE GAINS-BASED ON CURRENT GRADING STANDARDS". Co-author of "The Encyclopedia of United States Silver and Gold Commemorative Coins 1892-1954"; he saw his efforts receive the Numismatic Literary Guild's Book of the Year Award in 1981. He was invited, by Donna Pope, to strike the fifth George Washington ceremonial commemorative half dollar as well as the thirteenth striking of our Olympic commemorative dollar and several others. He has been, or is, a member of many numismatic organizations and has served in many different offices. He has contributed to Coin World, COINage, the Forecaster, Coins Magazine, Red Book and many many others.

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Bill Ayres - Secretary	Bryce Doxzon - Catonsville C Cl
Pete Burris-Past President	Jim Boswell - Colonial Coin Cl
Sylvan Richter - Balto CC	Steve Taylor - Kent Coin Club

Due to the absence of our President & Vice President we restricted this meeting to discussion of the forthcoming convention and show only.

We still have not received our insurance update and bill.

Electricity will be set up for tables in groups of four.

We will have Festival Hall until midnight Sunday.

Festival Hall (and Convention Center) will probably not have any rooms for our meetings. We will check the local hotel for accomodations. We will not be able to begin to set up until 7:00 am Thursday & since the decorator has to put up his amterial first our time is moved back. We will try to get fifteen people on hand for set up.

We have a contract with Mid Atlantic - the decorators.

We do not yet have a contract with Blaisdel.

We have still not been able to figure a way to deal with the empty hall syndrome on Sunday. We may be able to work in some local, smaller dealers to fill space.

We discussed the large number of souvenir sheets left over from previous years. We decided we will order the smallest reasonable number of sheets in the area of 100 or so.

Ray Dillard has requested we attempt to locate $10.00 worth of '90 pennies to be used. Jim Boswell will make the effort.

Ribbons for the show have been ordered.

The round logos we use on plaquest, etc., are running low. We will have to order some more.

The Henry Westphal Membership Award plaque is filled. It has been voted we procure a new plaque; rename it "The Henry Westphal Memorial Membership Award": retire the old one to our club's archives & continue to issue the new one to the recipiant to hold for one year.

The John B. Henry Club Membership Award cup disappeared in 1985. As a matter of record: The Harford Coin Huskers will not be eligible to receive this award this year. We voted to procure a replacement cup or plaque so the sinning club can hold it for a year.

It was moved we invite the BEP to participate in our 1991 show.

It was decided we will change our 1991 show dat es to May and release the June dates we now hold.

Bryce gave a report on progress in publicity. He is goind to try to get radio and TV coverage of our show both before and during.

Our next meeting will be held on 22 April 1990 at the Grace United Methodist Church at Charles St & Northern Parkway.

Respectfully Submitted
William R Ayres Jr
William R. Ayres, Jr.
Secretary

THE HENRY WESTPHAL MEMORIAL AWARD FOR MEMBERSHIP is a plaque which the member who brings in the most new members in the year has his name engraved on and which he holds until the following convention.

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OUR MEMBER CLUBS REPORT

PRINCE GEORGES' COUNTY COIN CLUB is still considering the options in changing their meeting location. They also report the loss of fourteen year member of the club, Mr. Eugene Peter Sokowski.

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB's members enjoyed their spring banquet which was held at "Annie's Top of the Tower Restaurant". From high in the air a panoramic view of a portion of the city unfolded before us. Will Mumford told of his latest pursuit - Researching early 1800/1900 newspapers from Baltimore and Annapolis for Numismatically oriented items. New officers for the club are:

Walt Kitner - President
Greg Ruby - Vice Pres
Bill Ayres - Secretary
Bryce Doxzon -Treasurer

WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB had slides for their February meeting - that's right - slides: No Projector: sound familiar everyone? W.M.C.C. held a special "Heart" auction which yielded $59.00. Their officers for 1990:

President - David Weir
Vice Pres - Larry Groer
Secretary-Larry Arbogast
Treasurer-Albert Helmick
Auctioneer-George Waingold

The club has scheduled their annual ladies night at the Silver Leaf Country Buffet in Braddock Square Mall.

MARYLAND TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY Held their April meeting at the historic Steiner House in Frederick. This house is not open to the public but was made available through special arrangements. Following the meeting a walking tour of the historic center of town was conducted, for those who were interested by Frank Pugliese.

Millard Hajek displays two of his plaques at the Maryland State House, during the January meeting of the Maryland Token and Medal Society.

And we lose another great friend. Joseph A. Clarke from Takoma Park on March 22nd. Joe and Mae have become a legend in the hobby in the D. C. area. No major (or minor) event has been held which has not seen their very active presence. Among Joe's accomplishments were A N A Outstanding Club Representative Award for 1985; ANA Medal of Merit -1987; Numismatic News Numismatic Ambassador - 1985. Joe was co-chairman of the 1971 A N A Convention in D.C. He was a past president of MANA (1982-1984) and served in offices in all of the D.C. Clubs. On numerous occassions he served as show chairman. Mae - we miss him too.

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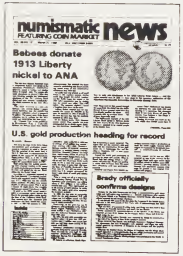
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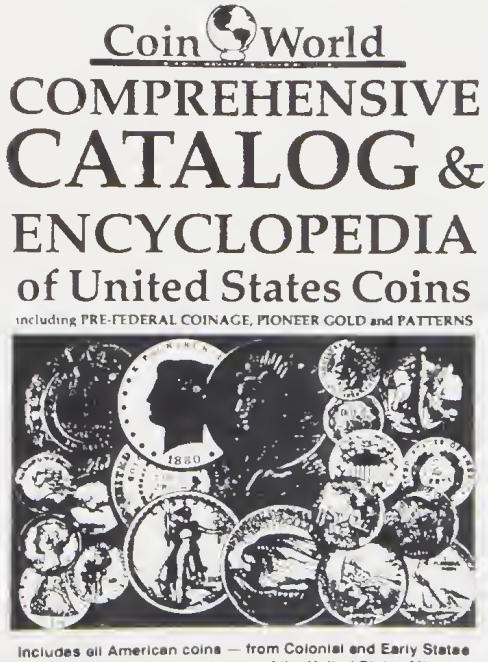
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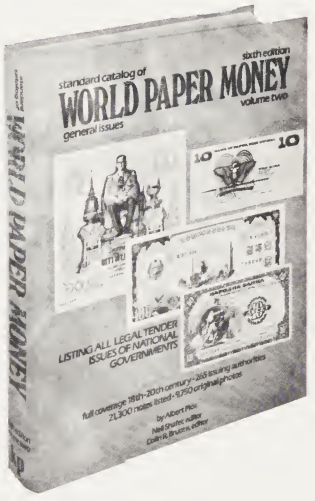
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Of prime interest to the board was our very successful show. Pete updated us on the electricity costs for the show & how they were reached. Most of our accounts are in and we find we made enough profit to move forward in a good manner.

We bought proof sets to be used as door prizes. Those left after the show will be sold to one of our member clubs, at our cost, and the proceeds returned to the bank accounts.

It was decided we will utilize the June 20-23 dates and Pete is to lock them in with the Convention Center. He is also to get some dates for 1992.

Bob reported he has our wooden nickel and ribbon layouts in his computer and can turn out the orders in short order. Bill Ayres advised he has constructed a color list for the nickels which runs past the year 2000 and will not duplicate any color arrangements.

We studied the lists of those who worked at the show, as well as on the committees, and which clubs they belong to. We then decided an amount for each of the clubs represented based on those efforts. We discussed some form of recognition for the people themselves. These presentations will be made at a later date.

We voted to present $50.00 each to the Johns Hopkins Childrens Fund and BARC. Pete requested that BARC's donation be in two parts - one for Baltimore City and one for the county. Suggestion adopted.

Our Fall Seminar came under discussion and the following decided:
Pete Burris will chair;
Pete will present one of the ANA slide presentations;
Sylvan will be one of our speakers;
Jim Boswell will approach a speaker from the Naval Academy;
and it will be held on 4 Nov and the Grace United Methodist Church.

We voted to pay the church $15.00 as a donation for allowing us to meet here today.

Jack Pryor accepted the appointment of General Chairman for 1991.

After some gentle persuasion Bill Sacks agreed to consider being the association treasurer. Bill Ayres then said that as soon as the show accounts are in order he is resigning the office. President Vaughan then appointed Bill Sacks to assume the office; at that time (toot toot).

Respectfully Submitted
William R. Ayres, Jr.
Secretary

MSNA's PRESIDENT's MESSAGE

Our 18th Annual Convention is now just a memory; but definitely a great one! This was absolutley one of our best ever and is due to valiant efforts of our General Chairman: Steve Taylor; aided by Bill Ayres and Pete Burris.

Our General Chairman for the 1991 Convention is Jack Pryor and I hope everyone will pitch in to help with as much enthusiasm as you showed this year. Work has already started and Jack will need the continued support of all of the membership.

At our Annual Meeting, at the Convention in June, the new officers for 1990 - 1991 were elected. Our slate of officers from last year: Bill Ayres as Secretary/Treasurer; Jack Pryor as our Vice President and Yours Truly as President, will continue thru this year. Speaking for the other officers, and myself, we thank you and we promise to do our best for the organization.

Since the election Bill Ayres has resigned as Treasurer. Our new Treasurer is Bill Sacks who I am sure will do an outstanding job: Welcome Bill!

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WE VISIT

Yes; we have visited some. Pete,Bobbie & I visited the South Glen Burnie Coin Club and found a most active group.

Marge and I traveled to LaVale for the show of the Western Maryland Coin Club and this month we traveled to Hagerstown for the Interstate Show. We enjoyed all of the visits and the only fly in the ointment was the fact that I wrecked the car coming back from Hagerstown.

Bill

ABOVE: The elected officers installed at the annual meeting of the MSNA for 1990/1991. From left to right: Jack Pryor - Vice President; Bobbie Vaughan - President and Bill Ayres - Secretary/ Treasurer. Below Bobbie presents Pete Burris with the MSNA Numismatist of the Year plaque for '90 as a tribute to the outstanding efforts he has put forth during that time.

Some of those extra attractions that add the spice of a coin show. Above, left, Ray Dillard produces an elongated trophy on his hand operated press; and to the right Mike Bean turns the crank on the spider press to make one of those beautiful engravings everyone was so anxious to obtain. Below: another one of those hard working people who make these shows such a success - Paul Singleton.

One of the people who is always ready to tackle whatever is to be done is Bill Lenz. Above, we caught him in the middle of Earl's truck pulling cases out of a narrow storeage rack.

A great set up: 5 hours and done!! What a crew!! Tables, cases, table covers, chairs; you name it: everything was done and ready to go. Above: left to right; Don McKinstry, Elmer Lewis, Jim Boswell, Lee Giles, Walt Kitner, Millard Hajek, Bryce Doxzon, Pete Burris and Steve Taylor. Below: Lois Richter, Sylvan Richter, Bobbie Vaughan, Bill Lenz, Barbara Giles, Bill Ayres and Mike Miller. Right: Bryce Doxzon, Jim Boswell, Andy Bulleri & Marge Ayres take a shift at the door.

Our Young Numismatists pay rapt attention to the program produced by Larry Gentile. As a part of the program the class attended the different parts of the show to see how they function. Below they gather around as one of their number rolls his own elongated penny as a souvenir of the class. Larry Gentile - center steadies the press as Ray assists in turning the crank.

Our panel of speakers for the educational forum. Left to right: Grover C. Criswell; Harry J. Forman and Anthony Swiatek. At the right is program chairman - Bill Lenz.
Below: Grover addresses the questions of the audience after the completion of the presentations.

Anthony Swiatek addresses the audience attending the educational forum. Below: an early morning view of the convention floor.

Burnett Anderson addresses the attendees at the annual awards breakfast; some of whom are shown below.

Walt Kitner, our Exhibits Chairman, reports that the following awards were made at our '90 Convention on a group of outstanding exhibits.

MSNA's William F. Swagler Memorial Best of Show Trophy, donated by MANA:
A Medal & Token Tour of Baltimore by Millard Hajek

MASTER AWARD
The Medals of Franklin by Phil Greenslet

SUPERIOR AWARD
Dickey Mill Centennial Medal by Bryce Doxzon

EXCELLENCE AWARD
A Selection of Coins of the Ancient Worlds by Bobbie Vaughan

APPRECIATION AWARDS
A Selection of Roman Empresses by Larry Gentile
Franklin Mint U.S. Olympic Glory by Phil Guntner
Tenino Wood Money by George Rickards
David Eccleston Medal by Pete Burris

YOUNG NUMISMATIST FIRST PLACE
A Selection of Medals - The Apollo II Mission by Kevin Taylor

YOUNG NUMISMATIST SECOND PLACE
Life of Lincoln by Gordon Hunt

MARYLAND TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY'S MILLARD HAJEK BEST OF EXONUMIA AWARD - won by Millard Hajek

PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD won by Larry Gentile

The Elongated we had made for our convention. They were struck in dime, nickel and penny.

WELCOME TO MEMBERSHIP

636 Vincent Quayle-Baltimore

637 L. D. Mitchell - Bowie & APL Coin Clubs

638 Emmett C. McKinney - Washington D.C.

ABOVE: Walt Kitner presents the John B. Henry Club Membership Award to Bobbie Vaughan on behalf of the Baltimore Coin Club for 1990. Below: Bobbie presents the Henry K. Westphal Memorial Trophy,for bringing the most new members into the MSNA during the previous year, to Jim Boswell.

ABOVE: BILL LENZ, President of M A N A, presents the MANA sponsored, MSNA BILL SWAGLER MEMORIAL BEST OF SHOW AWARD to Millard Hajek.

BELOW: WALT KITNER presents the MARYLAND TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY's "MILLARD HAJEK BEST OF EXONUMIA AWARD" to MILLARD HAJEK.

ABOVE: WALT presents the MASTER AWARD to PAST PRESIDENT of MSNA, PHIL GREENSLET.

BELOW: WALT presents the SUPERIOR AWARD to BRYCE DOXZON.

ABOVE: WALT presents the EXCELLENCE AWARD to BOBBIE VAUGHAN, PRESIDENT OF THE MSNA.

BELWO: WALT presents our YN CHAIRMAN, LARRY GENTILE, with the coveted "PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD."

APPRECIATION AWARDS

PETE BURRIS
GEORGE RICKARDS
LARRY GENTILE

EXHIBITS CHAIRMAN WALT KITNER and FIRST PLACE Y N WINNER - KEVIN TAYLOR

EXHIBITS CHAIRMAN WALT KITNER & 2nd PLACE Y N WINNER GORDON HUNT

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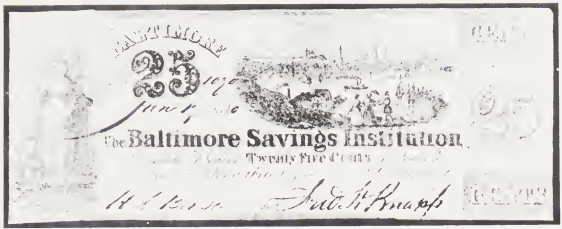

The panoramic view of Baltimore from Whetstone (Locust) Point, shown on the above note, is the only such view that has been recorded on Maryland obsolete paper money. The 25¢ note on which it appears was issued 150 years ago by the ill-fated Baltimore Savings Institution whose office was at No. 1 Charles Street. Chartered on February 6, 1834, the Institution first issued small change scrip in June of 1840, by which time it had come under the control of one Frederick H. Knapp. Following a "run" on the Institution by holders of its "shinplasters" Knapp failed to open for business the morning of September 9, 1840, having fled the city. He was apprehended in Albany about a week later and returned to Baltimore where he was freed on bail. The illustrated note was printed by stone lithography by Edward Weber of Baltimore who was the founder of the lithographic firm which became A. Hoen & Co. in 1853, continuing in business until 1853, continuing in business until 1981. About three years after the issuance of this note Weber published a rather similar and larger view which was the first such Baltimore print published by a Baltimore lithographer.

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THE HENRY WESTPHAL MEMORIAL AWARD FOR MEMBERSHIP is a plaque which the member who brings in the most new members in the year has his name engraved on and which he holds until the following convention.

The JOHN B. HENRY AWARD FOR MEMBERSHIP is aplaque which the club with fifteen or more members & has the largest percentage of their membership also holding membership in M S N A gets their club name engraved on and the club holds the plaque until the convention the following year.

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BALTIMORE COIN CLUB members were treated to a presentation of the "Hobo Nickels" slide presentation from the A N A courtesey of Pete Burris. On July 15th the members of the club enjoyed the surroundings at the Double Rock Park, in Parkville, for their annual picnic and crab feast. A most gala affair.

PRINCE GEORGES' COUNTY COIN CLUB members were treated to a slide presentation entitled "Coin Collecting-Family Fun", by Carl Shrader. On July 3rd the club began attending it's meetings in a new location. They now meet at the James E. Duckworth Special Center, 11201 Evans Trail, Beltsville. In June their president, Jim Besley, suffered a heart attack. The reports we receive from them indicate he is well on the way to recovery. Ed Rupp has been filling in for him during his absence. They further report the loss of their charter member, Alvin Cole. Thru a communication break down they were not aware of this until several months after his passing.

HARFORD COIN HUSKERS held their picnic & crab feast on Aug 5th. Remember August 5th? Didn't it rain? Oh well,we had a couple of dining flies & had a great time despite the rain. Even played some badminton between showers. The Coin Huskers were advised founding member Maynard E. Morrison died in December also. The word is sometimes very slow reaching the clubs.

WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB held their annual Ladies' Night Dinner at the Silver Leaf Restaurant. Their speaker of the evening was George Hohman. In the course of the evening their editor, Al Helmick, received an attache case They report their show seemed to be dampened a bit by the weather.

MARYLAND TOKEN AND MEDAL SOCIETY has been holding their meetings in some great places. Their May meeting location wasn't that extrodinary - it was held at the M S N A show in the Holiday Inn. They did however have an outstanding pair of "give-aways"'s. Dot & Millard Hajek presented every one attending an elongated quarter which featured the Maryland State flag and was hand enameled in black, white, red and yellow. The club give-away was a leather token for $2.25. The token presented at the show was red; the one mailed to the membership afterward were natural leather.

Above and on the page to the left: Members of the Baltimore Coin Club enjoy their annual picnic/crab feast at the Double Rock Park in Baltimore. Below: Harry Whitsel and Pete Burris couldn't wait for the cake - they're singing "Happy birthday to me."

From SOUTH GLEN BURNIE COIN CLUB, we have: from left to right: Jim Osborne- Secretary/Treasurer: Gene Newman and Ed Johanson, Jr., - Club Co-Presidents.
BELOW: From the WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB and manning the door at their recent show: Standing: George Waingold and Dave Weir and seated: Wreathea Mayes and Betty Waingold.

MANA OCTOBER 19-21, 1990 CONVENTION INFORMATION

Malcolm Gutterman of the Tidewater Coin Club is the General Chairman for the 38th Mana show with Jack Pryor assisting. Other committee chairmen are:

Tom Sebring - Educational program
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The convention hotel is the Radisson which is adjacent to the Pavilion Convention center. The rate is $40.00 (GREAT PRICE). There is Courtesy Service from the Norfolk Airport which is about 12 miles from the Convention Center. There will be an auction by Frank and Laurese Katen on Friday evening and Saturday afternoon.

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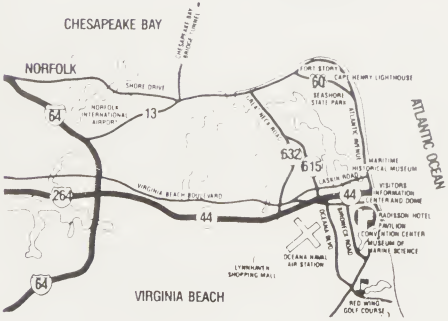

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by WILL MUMFORD
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My friend, John Mellin, who writes a weekly column for the Annapolis Capital newspaper, came up with some interesting information about labor used on the Anne Arundel farms before the Polish workers came to do the picking. It seems that some Civil War soldiers, who were on parole, or waiting to go home, were used as laborers on some of the farms. A dispatch in the Baltimore Sun (June 24, 1863) claims that the farmers of Anne Arundel County, because of the scarcity of labor, applied to the commander at Camp Parole (just west of Annapolis) for paroled soldiers to assist on the farms to harvest the crops.

He also claims that he found a letter written on July 20,1863 by Susan Brice, a widow and owner of a farm on Pendennis Mount on the Severn River. In it she states,"We have a parole soldier living with us. He is an excellent hand and understands(thoroughly) all farm work, so willing and obliging. We shall miss him very much when he leaves. He has been with us a month..." I doubt if the farms were using picker checks in 1863.

Treasure hunters have been raking the John Smith farm off Telegraph Road with metal detectors. They have found lots of interesting items, including a few picker checks. Lots of buttons (some Civil War), a few coins (An 1840 large cent), and several other tokens. Lots of stuff lies hidden in the old fields.... Guess I'll have to get out my trowel...!

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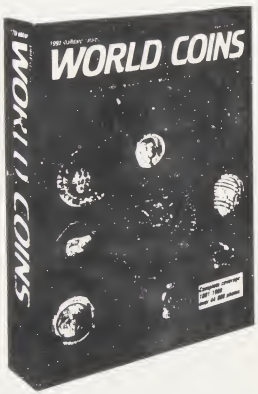

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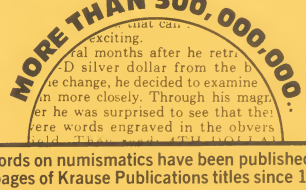
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